

Railroad Time Table.

N. C. & St. L. R. R.
LEAVES: ARRIVES:
Train No. 53 at 9:30 p. m. Train No. 52, 7:15 a. m.
Train No. 3, at 8:05 p. m. Train No. 4, 2:05 p. m.

Local and Personal.

In speaking of a person's faults
Pray don't forget your own.
Remember those with homes of glass
Should seldom throw a stone.
If we have nothing else to do
But talk of those who sin,
'Tis better we come home at home,
And from that point begin.

—Mrs. M. A. Hall is visiting relatives in Fulton.

—Mrs. W. H. Baltzer is visiting in Carbondale, Ill.

—Mr. W. P. Taylor, of Fulton, was in the city Monday.

—Mr. John Noonon, of Fulton, was in Hickman, Sunday.

—Esq. J. Hays Blair, of Fulton, was in the city Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Usher, of Fulton, visited Hickman, this week.

—Chas. J. Schlinker and Kib Somers spent Sunday in Union City.

—Come see the fine line of new Pictures, at BENEDICT'S BOOK STORE.

—Services at the Christian Church Sunday by Eld. A. S. Dabney.

—Mrs. D. B. Bryant, of Union City, visited Mrs. T. A. Ledford, this week.

—Mrs. R. S. Roberts returned Sunday from a visit to relatives in St. Louis.

—Go to H. Buchanan's for genuine Red Cut Early Rose Seed Potatoes.

—R. W. Hubbard, of Memphis, was in Hickman, Saturday and Sunday last.

—Mr. and Mrs. Murrel Roper and little daughter, Eron, went to Fulton last week.

—Ed. Adams and Aubrey Eaker are spending the week hunting on Reelfoot Lake.

—Farmers, call with your produce at M. B. SHAW'S Big Store.

—Dr. C. W. Miles, of Union City, was in Hickman, Tuesday, on professional business.

—Mr. Winston Prather and sister, Miss Jessie, of Jordan, visited in town this week.

—Mr. U. H. Scott, a popular merchant of Fulton, called on the Courier, this week.

—Dr. J. M. Hubbard and wife and Dr. Curdin and wife spent the day in Union City, one day this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reynolds, of Union City, were in the city Sunday, guests of Mrs. Jeff Clay.

—Elmo Reeves and Misses Winnie Hackett and Maud Moore made a flying trip to Fulton, Sunday.

—High grade Collars for 10c. None better at 25c.

—Mr. Samuel Isbell, a popular attorney of St. Louis, has been visiting his mother and relatives in Hickman.

—The young folks enjoyed a pleasant social party at the residence of Mr. J. T. Plummer, one night last week.

—Mr. Z. W. Oakley, of Kennedy, Mo., was in town this week en route to Cairo, and accompanied by Mrs. M. Hayden.

—Go to H. Buchanan's for genuine Red Cut Early Rose Seed Potatoes.

—Mrs. John Ford and Mrs. Fannie Graham, of Fulton, were in the city Saturday last, guests of Mrs. Otto Hertweck.

—Union City Com. Courier, 12th; Messrs. Robt. Helm, John Dillon, Len Shaw and Will Helm, of Hickman, were in the city yesterday.

—The ladies of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church gave their weekly "Coffee" at the residence of Mrs. G. Hunziker, Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. Jerry Malone, of Union City, visited in Hickman this week. She now has a position in the dry goods department of Morgan & Hardy Bros.

—John T. Dillon, who has been employed as book-keeper for the Sunflower Lumber Co., of Shaw, Miss., returned home this week, having resigned his position.

—Dr. W. W. Gonsley, of Cairo, is in town, the guest of Col. Toba Huddleston. The doctor is hunting for a house and will move his family here right away.—Fulton Leader.

—The newspaper published by Sheldon, author of "What Would Jesus Do?" is conducted in accordance with the views expressed in his famous book now on sale at Wilson's Book Store.

—Mr. Geo. W. Walker, manager and proprietor of Edison's Great Kinetoscope and Concert Co., was in the city Tuesday, arranging for the performance of his company at City Hall, to-night.

—New style Hats for 30c. Well worth 75c. Furnishing goods department, RICE & NAYLOR.

—Editor James M. Brice, of the Troy News-Banner, has announced that he is a candidate for Elector from the counties of Dyer, Lake and Obion. Mr. Brice would make a good representative of his people in the legislature.

—Mrs. Lou Harper, who for some years was engaged in business in Hickman, has moved to Fulton, and is engaged in the millinery business there. She is a lady of rare taste, strict probity, and the Courier wishes her abundant prosperity in her new field.

New Wall Paper

We have just received our Spring Stock of Wall Paper, beautiful patterns at very low price. Call and make selection. Wilson's Book Store.

—The steamer Ford Herold put off several thousand sacks of corn at the elevator Tuesday night, and while the crew were discharging the freight a number of young people went aboard and enjoyed a delightful dance. Capt. Haslett and his polite assistants are great favorites with the young people of Hickman.

FATHER IN PRISON.

Ed. Wright, Sr., of Hickman.
Came Here to Attend the
Trial of His Sons.

(Paducah News.)

Ed. Wright, sr., father of Barnett and Ed. Wright, jr., who were arraigned before United States Commissioner Puryear yesterday on the charge of selling liquor without a license at Hickman, was presented in the police court to-day on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was arrested at the train early this morning by Officers Lescher and Hession. When searched, a 44-caliber revolver was found on his person.

He was intoxicated, and this caused the officers to arrest him. Wright came here yesterday to attend trial of his sons. He made bond for one of them, and he and his son were at the union depot waiting for the train when the arrest was made. The son left for his home in Hickman, while his father, who had caused his release, was brought to the city and locked up. This morning Wright informed Judge Sanders that he was not cognizant of the fact because he lived in Hickman that he was violating the law by carrying concealed weapons. A fine of \$25 and a sentence of ten days in the county jail was imposed. Wright will execute bond and take an appeal to the circuit court.

The liquor case against his sons will be completed before Commissioner Puryear, Tuesday.

The Noonon Will Contest.

The motion to probate the will of the late W. T. Noonon, of this county, was heard Monday and Tuesday last, at the Court House, before Esquire James W. Mayes. The contest has excited very general interest, some 75 to 100 witnesses being summoned and were in attendance. Judge Dick Moss and R. B. Platt are the attorneys for sustaining the will and R. T. Tyler and Mr. Gus Thomas for breaking it.

The decedent, W. T. Noonon, was possessed of very good property—\$10,000 to \$15,000 and deeded or willed the whole to a niece, Mrs. Mollie Campbell, who had lived with him and helped to care for him and his late wife, for a number of years. The contestants are his other relatives—nearest of kin. The effort was to prove that because of continued ill health and feebleness his mind was unsound and therefore incapable of making a will. The will was sustained, but Mrs. Campbell appointed Executrix and required to give bond. It was appealed to Circuit Court.

A Fake Marriage.

In the COURIER of Feb. 19, appeared the report of the marriage of Mr. Richard Keiser and Miss Laura Bell Mayes. Rev. Holt officiating, &c. The report was received from a correspondent who had previously furnished items for the Courier, was well written, used names well known as old family residents, and the Courier suspected nothing as to its genuineness. So far is very well, but we are now informed that there was no bride, no groom, no preacher, no attendants and no donors for the many wedding presents represented in the list of gifts at that alleged happy marriage. We hope the correspondent can make some explanation of the publication, and that the matter will be cleared up.

Burglars at Arlington.

The safe of Mr. Thos. Stanley, of Arlington, Ky., was broken open Sunday night last and \$180 in money extracted. The robbers secured a sledge hammer, file and chisel from a blacksmith shop and prized open the back door of the store, and by the use of some explosive they blew open the safe, smashing the door all to pieces. There is no clue to the robbery. A family living up stairs over the store was aroused by the explosion, but could not understand what it meant. Mr. Stanley telegraphed to Fulton for McDade's blood hounds, but the dogs were not at home.

It is very hard to stand idly and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in his left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor needn't come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by Cowgill & Cowgill, Hickman, and A. M. Shaw, State Line, druggists.

A MOONLESS MONTH.

A very rare astronomical feature came with the month of February. It had no moon. January had two and March will, too. This peculiar incident is due to the fact that the last of the century is not reckoned as a leap year and that even in ordinary leap years the moon is new in February as in any other month, except long intervals. A moonless month has not occurred since February, 1800, and will not, it is said, occur again for a vastly greater space of time.

—The Methodist board of bishops recently issued a letter to all churches, pastors and members of this denomination throughout the world, appointing a week of penance and prayer, beginning on March 25.

New Spring Goods

Arriving Daily,

AT

Baltzer & Dodds'.

The Irrepressible Issue.

MR. EDITOR:—In your last week's issue you ask which yields the greatest influence on the future of the country Suffragists or Remonstrants.

Remonstrants have always played the dog in the manger. What I don't want you shan't have. There is no effort on record of their even trying to better the moral or sanitary condition of state, city or home.

In Chicago, Mrs. Paul, Supt. of street cleaning in first ward, it's acknowledged by officials to be the cleanest in the city. Seven cities in the west have had female Mayors and city officials. When men get the city in a state and they cannot extricate her they elect women and they have never failed to extricate her either.

What does Wyoming say? Wyoming's Governor, legislature and all high officials say that woman's suffrage has largely aided in banishing crime, pauperism and vice. It secures peaceful and orderly elections, good government and a remarkable degree of civil and political order. As a result of thirty years' experience we urge all civilized communities to enfranchise its women. Ex-Chief Justice Groesbeck, of Wyoming, over his signature says: "The influence of woman upon our Legislature and our elections is marked. Party conventions have abandoned nominating corrupt, dishonest or immoral men as they cannot obtain woman's vote. Our elections are orderly, so are our primaries. Women generally exercise franchise. They do not seek office. School Superintendent is conceded them." He signs, H. V. S. Groesbeck.

Colorado says the result of woman's suffrage has been to select better candidates. Methods of election have been purged. Character of legislation improved, civic intelligence increased and womanhood developed to greater usefulness by political responsibility.

Therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives and Senate combined that in view of these results the enfranchisement of woman in every state and territory is recommended as a measure tending to the higher and better social order.

Kentucky women have received the following laws: A woman can now collect her own wages, can make a will, the last State to do so. Woman has in courtesy and dower equal with husband also equal personal property. Women have succeeded in opening doors of colleges to co education. We have reform schools for boys and one for girls, instead of sending them to the penitentiary with hardened offenders. There are other good laws we would have passed if we had the ballot.

Nothing has been done since '96. Our Legislature has been too busy wrangling over our Senators and Governors. Probably this wouldn't have happened if women had the ballot. Remember no government can allow oppressive laws on its statutes against one class of citizens without the whole people suffering in consequence. S. M. HUBBARD.

His Dream.

Papa (at the breakfast table): "Willie, my boy, why are you looking so thoughtful? Are you not feeling well?" Willie (very seriously): "Yes, papa, but I had a strange dream this morning."

Papa: "Indeed, what was it?" Willie: "I dreamed, papa, that I died and went to heaven; and when St. Peter met me at the gate, instead of showing me to the golden streets, as I expected, he took me into a large field, and in the middle of the field there was a ladder reaching away up into the sky and out of sight. Then St. Peter told me that heaven was at the top, and that in order to get there I must take a big piece of chalk he gave me and slowly climb the ladder, writing on each rung some sin I had committed."

Papa (laying down his newspaper): "And did you finally reach heaven's son?" Willie: "No, papa, for just as I was thinking of something to write on the second rung, I looked up into the sky and saw you coming down."

Papa: "And what was I coming down for, pray?" Willie: "That's just what I asked you, papa, and you told me you were going for more chalk."—Life.

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Three of the four delegates at-large from Georgia to the national Republican convention, elected by the Republicans in convention at Atlanta are negroes. The Texas Republican convention at Waco resulted in a split, both factions electing delegates.

As Christ Would Edit.

The Rev. Sheldon's general instructions to the Capitol reporters are: All slang phrases to be left out. "Every interview having been written must be submitted to the person interviewed and must receive his written approval."

If a reporter goes after facts and the man possessing them refused to give them the reporter must not attempt to print the story. "No theatrical news will be printed, neither will theatrical advertisements appear."

"No sporting news will be printed, except clean sports such as athletics, etc." "In case of crime the reporter handling the story will be expected to ascertain what brought it about. No details wanted."

"Any political matter must be non-partisan and absolutely fair and truthful."

Forged His Own Name.

Can a man forge his own name? This is the question before a criminal court in Chicago, where James H. Bird, of Chicago, received, indorsed and caused to be cashed a check for nearly \$2,000, intended for James H. Bird, of New York, an entirely different person. When the New York Bird came along and wanted the check that had been made out for him and didn't get it, the Chicago Bird was arrested.

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Information Wanted.

1. William Weaver, col., who came North 15 years ago, wish to know if there are any of my acquaintance or friends still remaining in Hickman, Ky. If so, please address me.

WILLIAM WEAVER,
1209 S. F. St., Frankfort, Ind.

DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between Alex. A. Faris and Sam B. Parker in the Hivery stable business has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm will settle with Alex. A. Faris.

ALEX. A. FARIS,
SAM B. PARKER.

March 1, 1900.

NOTICE!

All persons holding claims against the estate of Geo. Metts, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same to me, properly certified to, within the next sixty days, otherwise they will be forever barred.

A. A. FARIS,
March 9, 1900. Adm'r.

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SOME Interesting Figures.

Capital Stock of the Four Great Banks of the World.

Bank of England,	\$86,047,935
Bank of France,	36,500,000
Imperial Bank of Germany,	28,560,000
Bank of Russia,	25,714,920
Total,	\$175,822,855

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